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REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION OR DIVISION OF AN INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION

DOCKET NUMBER	ANTICIPATED CLASSIFICATION OF THIS APPLICATION		PRIOR APPLICATION EXAMINER	ART UNIT
32406-198948 RK	CLASS	SUBCLASS		

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This is a request for filing a **XX** continuation ___ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior international application Number PCT/GB02/02271, filed on May 15, 2002 entitled SUB AQUA BREATHING SYSTEM, which designated the United States.

Note: 37 CFR 1.53 (d) cannot be used to file a continuation or divisional application of an international application which has not entered the national stage.

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16 (c))		17-20 =	0	X\$ 18=	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16 (b))		1-3 =	0	X\$ 86=	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16 (d)) 0				+\$ 0=	+ 0.00
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16 (a))	\$770.00
				Total of above Calculations =	\$770.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.27).					\$385.00
				Total =	\$385.00

- XX** Enclosed is the Continuation Application mentioned above (20 total pages of specification, claims and abstract and 9 sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-9).
- ___ Signed inventor declarations.
- XX** Copy of International Application PCT/GB02/02271 filed May 15, 2002.
- XX** Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ___ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. _____. A Duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ___ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ___ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- XX** Application Data sheet is enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.76.

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9. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a XX continuation of international application number _____, filed _____ (status, abandoned, pending, etc.)."
10. ☐ A declaration under 37 CFR 1.63 is enclosed.
11. XX Priority of foreign application number 0112244.9, filed on May 18, 2001 in Great Britain is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d).
12. ☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
13. Also enclosed: _____
14. XX The filing fee will follow in response to the Missing Requirements Notice.
15. XX Address all future correspondence to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record).
Venable LLP, P.O. Box 34385 Washington, DC 20043-9998 or Customer Number 26694.

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November 18, 2003

Date


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- ☐ Inventor(s)/Applicant(s)
- ☐ Assignee of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.7(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- XX Attorney or agent of record
- ☐ Filed under 37 CFR 1.34(a)
 Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). _____

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

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